

## Joseph Odin Vik

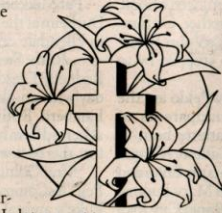
Services for Joseph Odin Vik, age 96 of Groton were held Thursday, August 7, 2003 at St. John's Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, Groton. The Reverend Craig Grams officiated.

Joseph Odin Vik, age 96, Groton, died August afternoon at the Beverly Healthcare Center at Redfield after a brief illness.

He was born on January 24, 1907 at Wallace, SD, the son of John and Lena (Thompson) Vik. He attended school at Wallace.

On August 21, 1935 he was

united in marriage to Retha Lena Jensen at Redfield. The couple lived at Bradley for a short time where he operated a service station prior to moving to the State of Washington. In 1939 they moved to California where he began his employment with the Boeing Aircraft Company. He later went to work for a trailer house manufacturing company. In 1974 they



returned to the Doland area and lived there until moving to Groton in 1979. Mrs. Vik died on January 31, 1994.

He was a member of the St. John's Lutheran Church at Groton. Some of his fondest moments were spent working on clocks, especially Grandfather and Mantle clocks. He also enjoyed Cadillac

cars.

Survivors include a sister-in-law, Dorothy Vik of Doland, 3 nieces and 3 nephews including Roger Vik of Doland.

Preceding him in death were his parents, wife, brothers John, Thomas and Alfred and two sisters, Olivia and Alma.

Casketbearers were Donald Jensen, Jerry Jensen, Dale Jensen, Duane Kurtz, Roger Vik and Larry Vik.

Internment was at Sunset Memorial Gardens, Aberdeen

The Furness Funeral Home of Clark handled arrangements.



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